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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION SUBMITTED CONCURRENTLY WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir

This Amendment is submitted in response to a final office action dated August 4, 2006 ("Final Office Action") and concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). In the Final Office Action, the Examiner rejected all claims as obvious (35 U.S.C. §103) over cited art. On October 24th, applicants and the Examiner and Supervisory Examiner held a phone interview discussing a proposed amendment to the claims. The Examiners indicated that the proposed amendments may distinguish over the cited art and that they would reconsider the rejection in view of such proposed amendments. Applicants amend herein the claims as proposed during the phone interview and submit the arguments presented during the phone interview distinguishing the amended and other claims from the cited art. Applicants further added claims 31-36. Applicants traverse the prior art rejections and submit that all pending claims 1-36 are patentable over the cited art and in condition for allowance for the reasons discussed herein

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12.